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## LOCAL JOTTINGS

A son was born to Mr and Mrs W. A. Frohberger on Saturday.

The Alberta Pacific Grain Co. is giving a donation of \$2,000 to the Red Cross and \$10,000 to the Patriotic Fund.

Have you taken advantage yet of our offer of the Standard and the Farmers' Weekly Telegram for \$1.50. If not, do it now.

Ladies stopping at the Maple Leaf will get all the courtesies possible shown them.

Mr H. S. Dougan, of Kingston, Ontario is a visitor to town this week. He is owner of a farm near Hingham on which he has a good crop this year.

The land offered for sale for taxes by the Rural Municipality of Bow Valley, was bought on Saturday by Mr C. A. Phillips for \$425.

Mr and Mrs W. E. Phinney arrived back from Gadsby on Wednesday, and will reside here permanently in future. Mr Phinney has secured a position with the Bow Valley Supply Co.

As will be noted in our advertising columns, Mr. A. Layzell will offer for sale at the Stockyards here on Saturday, October 30th, 100 head of well-bred yearling and two-year-old cows and calves and one pure-bred Highland bull.

James Speakman, president of the United Farmers of Alberta, and S. S. Dunham, vice-president of the same organization, have consented to address the Basano convention of the Western Canada Irrigation Congress in November. With the representatives of the farmers' organization attending and speaking at this convention a wide discussion of the advantages or disadvantages of irrigation in the P.R. belt may be looked for, as Mr Speakman has strongly contended that there were parts of the great project which not only has not required irrigation, but where the plan as carried out has been a detriment. —News Telegram.

## Thrashing Returns

For the past ten days the weather has been dry and sunny, and thrashing has been progressing very favorably. Quite a number of the farmers are now finishing thrashing and are now either marketing their crops or assisting their neighbors to thresh.

In another column we give details of some of the yields that are being obtained. They are phenomenal, and more than we have been believed possible over large acreages.

At the various points where the grain of the district is shipped, Strathmore, Namaka, Cheadle, Carleton Place, Nightingale, Tudor, Rockford, etc., the elevators are being kept busy, and the loading platforms at these points are also well occupied.

At Cheadle the Alberta Pacific elevator took in 12,000 bushels in

A Halloween Dance will be held at Rockford on Friday, October 29. A good time is assured and everybody is welcome.

Births this week included a son to Mr and Mrs J. G. B. Swigart on Saturday, and a daughter to Mr and Mrs J. M. Christensen last Wednesday.

To-morrow evening is the date of the "Country Fair" being held by the Methodist Ladies Aid in aid of Church and Patriotic Funds.

Yes, they do give a 75c meal or 35c, put up by a first class white chef at the Maple Leaf Hotel.

Results of the big crops? Mr W. C. Botting secured a carload of Fords (7 cars) last Tuesday, and has disposed of the majority of them already. This is Mr Brown's fifth carload this season.

Mr James Hepburn Burns, of the C.P.R. Irrigation staff, who enlisted in the 2nd on Saturday, is a son of Mr John Burns, the former city treasurer of Calgary, and now retired and living in Edinburgh, Scotland.

Two more local stalwarts enlisted in the service of their country on Saturday. These were Alex Gray, blacksmith with the C.P. Irrigation Department, and Jimmy Burns, barn boss with the same department. Both are husky specimens, and should be able to perform quite a few German feats. They have both been employed here for a number of years, and both claim Auld Scotia as their place of birth.

The wedding took place on Saturday at the home of the bride's father, at Tudor, of Miss Dorothy Pust, daughter of Mr E. W. Pust, of Tudor, to Mr Wm. Rudd. The ceremony, which was a quiet one, was performed by Rev. T. H. Hole, and afterwards the happy couple boarded the C.N.R. train en route to spend the honeymoon in England. The many friends of the popular young couple are awaiting their homecoming, and will undoubtedly give them a hearty reception.

One day, Manager Anderson says that he hopes this season to better his record of two years ago when he took in 16,000 bushels in a single day.

There seems to be more scarcity of help than there was during the cutting season, which is possibly accounted for by the soldiers having been taken back to camp. However, all the outfits in this district are operating full time. Many of the farmers, who do not expect to be thrashed for some time yet, are taking advantage of the good weather to stack their grain. There was a flurry of snow on Monday evening, but not enough to stop thrashing.

**STRATHMORE STANDARD**  
**MONTREAL WEEKLY HERALD**  
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## Vital Strategic Point in Balkan Situation

This map shows the most important strategic point in Serbia, the railroad from Belgrade to Salonika where an Anglo-French force is being landed. Also there are shown the mountains and rivers over which an Austro-German force must pass but no affecting a junction with their Turkish allies. An attack on a railroad by a Bulgarian force at Terna is feared by the Allies.

## MR. JAMES SPEAKMAN



He is understood, will attend the Basano Irrigation Convention next month in order to get further information re irrigation.

## School Board.

The regular meeting of the Strathmore School Board was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening of last week. Chairman J. Mackenzie presided, and other members present were Mrs Girvin and Mr F. R. Lilly.

A requisition was read from the Principal for a number of school supplies, most of which were ordered to be procured.

Mr Lilly was appointed a committee to look after the repairing of the storm windows broken by the hailstorm this summer, and also to have any other repairs required attended to.

porarily being in a building near the school at a rent of \$6 per month. On motion of Mrs Girvin it was agreed to advertise for a building.

## U.F.A. Auction.

The monthly auction of Strathmore U.F.A. was held in the Stockyards on Saturday, Mr A. Layzell being the auctioneer.

There was not as good an attendance as usual, but the turnover amounted to \$913. A considerable amount of the stock offered was withdrawn from sale. The attendance is accounted for by the fact that most of the farmers are stacking and threshing, and that the proceeds of this year's crops are not yet in the form of cash.

One trouble with regard to the sale is that people do not bring in their entries early enough. There was a big lot of stock in at Saturday's sale which was not advertised at all, as it had not been entered in time. If entries were into the Secretary's hands two weeks or so before the sale, they could be advertised well, and this without doubt would have a good effect on the attendance, and also on the prices realised.

## SUBSCRIBERS

Those subscriptions to the Standard are overdue will find a notice to that effect posted to this issue. If overdue subscribers would make settlement at the office this week it would be much appreciated. Every dollar helps, and we need the money to pay our bills.

JOHN MACKENZIE

## Weather Report

	Min.	Max.	Precipit.
Tuesday	20.1	25.7	
Wednesday	23.6	34.2	
Thursday	25.1	31.9	
Friday	23.4	30.2	
Saturday	25.1	31.9	
Sunday	20.1	25.7	
Monday	21.7	27.0	

Readings taken at 5 a.m. and 6 p.m.

## The Second Year of the War

We are now well into the second year of war, and the end seems as far off as ever. No one imagined a year after by October, 1915, Canada would have sent across the Atlantic nearly 100,000 men, with as many more to follow if necessary. The war may yet last a long time. We can permit no "silly morn," no trace that means returning to the relative positions occupied before the war. That would only mean that all of the beligerents would at once commence preparations for another and greater conflict, and that the children for whose heritage we are fighting to-day, would in turn, themselves be called upon to lay down their lives in the next generation.

Mr. The Prime Minister of Britain said last autumn is as true today as ever it was. This war cannot end until Belgium has been restored to all that she lost and more; until France has been given boundaries that can be protected against the menace of invasion; until the right of the little nations of Europe to live has been unquestionably established and until Prussiaism has been completely crushed.

To accomplish these things will require enormous sacrifice. Lord Kitchener says the war can only be ended by trained men, "Men, more men, and yet more men."

The issue today depends upon Britain and the British Empire. We alone, have the reserves that permit of the creation of the preponderant army. The Germans before the war made many predictions. In respect of France and Russia, they were not far astray, but they wholly underestimated the power of the British Empire. The overseas dominions, which were contemptuously referred to as a negligible quantity, will probably furnish 300,000 men or more before the end of the war and a large proportion of these will consist of the contingents from Canada.

It is the duty of the Canadian government to arm, train, equip and maintain its expeditionary force. The money for this purpose is raised by taxation equally distributed on people of Canada. The task of providing for the wives and children of the men who go to the front, however, has been entirely assumed by the generous public, on the ground that he who cannot fight should pay.

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## MARJORIE M. GOLDIE



Instructor of Agriculture, at the Government school of Oils, who will advise the delegates to the Basano Convention on "Advantage of a House hold Science Training to Country Girls."

## STOVES AND HEATERS

We are prepared to fill your requirements in the above lines. If you are not quite ready to install your heater call and look over our line and we will guarantee to suit you, either from our complete stock or by special order.

GIVE US A CHANCE.



Now is the Time to Buy  
**HORSE BLANKETS. FUR MOTOR ROBES**  
and other Winter Driving Requirements  
Look Over My Stock

**T. H. EVES**

SHOE REPAIRS HARNESSES, SADDLERY, Etc.

## The King Edward Hotel

STRATHMORE, ALTA.

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Rates \$2.00 and \$2.50 per day  
AMERICAN PLAN

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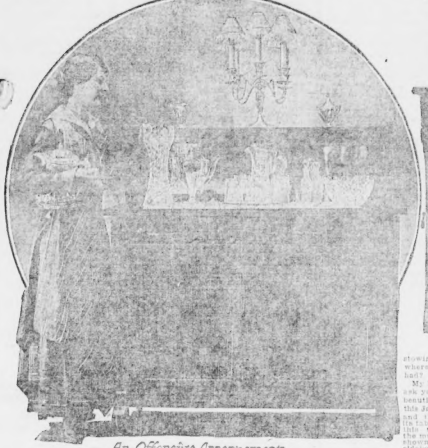
BECAUSE—  
Irrigation makes the farmer independent of rainfall, and insures good crops, not occasionally, but EVERY YEAR.  
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This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record. Get full particulars from—

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**CALGARY, ALBERTA**



# WORK FOR THE WOMANLY BRAIN AND HAND

## The Treatment of That Sideboard Top

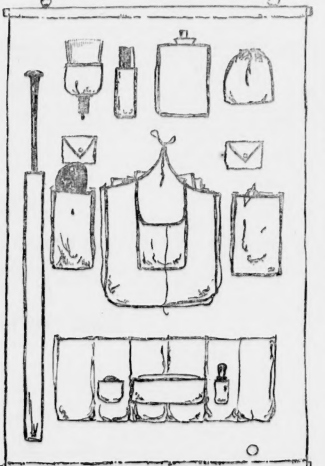


An Offensive Arrangement

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### Utilizing the Closet Door

ON a summer day in New England a lady was sitting on the front porch watching her maid. And her maid was sitting on the front porch watching her. And her maid was sitting on the front porch watching her. And her maid was sitting on the front porch watching her.

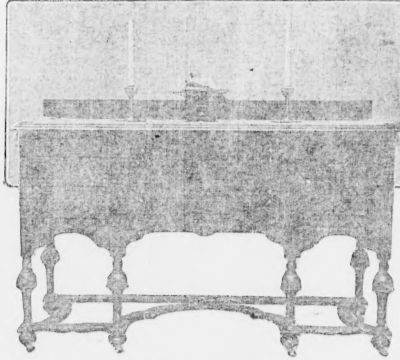


"What have I done with the whole day?" And the lady, in a valiant effort to make the most of her time, had been busy with her closet door. She had been busy with her closet door. She had been busy with her closet door. She had been busy with her closet door.



China Well Placed

showing away. Place where there is to be a clock. No, but never in a way that you look at the beautiful simplicity of the treatment of the clock. The clock is placed in a way that you look at the beautiful simplicity of the treatment of the clock. The clock is placed in a way that you look at the beautiful simplicity of the treatment of the clock.



A Perfect Treatment

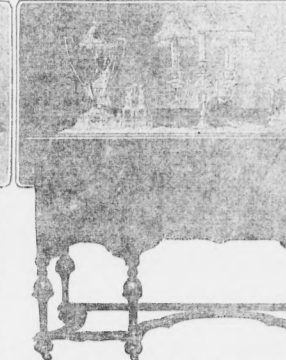
### OUR QUESTION BOX

**THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE**  
I have a question about the treatment of the sideboard top. I have a question about the treatment of the sideboard top. I have a question about the treatment of the sideboard top. I have a question about the treatment of the sideboard top.



Simple and Good Taste

of color and effect. However, a treatment as distinctive and formal as this never looks better. It creates the impression of choice that out of some many possibilities, this is the one that was chosen.



Too Big a Display

This table and desk I saw were very beautiful. But they were too large for the room. They were too large for the room. They were too large for the room. They were too large for the room.

### To Beautify a Dish-urled Hall

HOW can the entrance hall be made more beautiful? This is a question that many people ask. This is a question that many people ask. This is a question that many people ask. This is a question that many people ask.



The housewife knows that the entrance hall is the first thing that the visitor sees. The housewife knows that the entrance hall is the first thing that the visitor sees. The housewife knows that the entrance hall is the first thing that the visitor sees. The housewife knows that the entrance hall is the first thing that the visitor sees.





# The Housewife Finds



**PURITY FLOUR** does full justice to her cooking skill. Bakes finer flavored bread, lighter biscuits, more delicate pastry.

The exceptional baking strength of **PURITY FLOUR** is due, first, to the careful selection of the raw material (western hard spring wheat), and second, to the expert supervision of the product through the milling process.

Many housewives throughout the Dominion declare that **PURITY FLOUR** goes further than any other flour because of this baking strength. That is why we say:

## PURITY FLOUR

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FOR SALE BY STRATHMORE TRADING CO.,  
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SALESMEN who urge and persuade us to buy the things we ought to have are our true friends. More friends of this sort are wanted.

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Italians who inform us concerning what is best for us to buy and when to buy are our good friends and save us money. Butchers who are our real friends advertise—tell us what is good for us to have and what is the right price to pay.

## TO THE BUSINESS MEN OF STRATHMORE

Perhaps you haven't looked at this matter in this light—haven't seen your obligation with respect to the dwellers in this community. Be a friend and make friends—by helpful advertisements each week in the **STRATHMORE STANDARD**.

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## STRATHMORE AND BOW VALLEY STANDARD

JOHN MACKENZIE, Proprietor

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### CATHOLIC MISSION

STRATHMORE DISTRICT.

Sacred Heart Church.

C. DODGE, P.M.

ST. MICHAEL & L.L. ANGLES

11 Sunday—Nanska 8:30, Strathmore 12:30 p.m.

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### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. alternately.

Sunday School 12 noon

REV. A. BOYD, Pastor

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In the parish of St. Michael and Angels will be as follows:

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## Taxes in Cheadle.

JUDGMENT BY HON. JUSTICE WALSH.

Protesting against being taxed at the rate of \$216 for 128 lots, instead of being taxed on the land as unimproved, which would have made the taxes only \$12.37, Mr. James McLean, Cheadle, was the agent of the Municipality of Bow Valley bringing an action for the taxes on the \$216 basis in the Supreme Court, before Mr. Justice Walsh, recently.

Judgment was handed down the other day in favor of the Municipality, the Judge's view being that the Municipality was entitled to collect on the lot basis, rather than on the land as one parcel.

The lots referred to are in the townsite of Cheadle. The land, we understand, is now again unimproved, but the action was for arrears.

The Department of Municipal Affairs, Edmonton, was behind the Municipality in the action, as the case will be taken as a test case for other Municipalities in a similar position.

Hon. Justice Walsh, in his decision, says in part: "In this country each of the parcels of land resulting from the final cutting up by a plan subdivision of the larger area of which it once formed a part is popularly known as a lot. This word is given legislative recognition within this meaning by many of the provisions of the Land Titles Act, c. 4, s. 144. The defendant's plan of subdivision was undoubtedly registered under this section. A first print of it is before me. The land comprising it is divided into lots and each block divided into lots. Streets separate the blocks from each other and lines connect the blocks. I have no doubt but that each of these lots is a lot within the meaning of the subsection of the Rural Municipality Act here in question. If each of them was owned by a different man it surely could not be argued by any one of them that his land was not a lot. What difference can it make in the interpretation of these subsections that the ownership of many of the lots is in one man. Surely a lot is just as much a lot if the man who owns it as well owns others adjoining it as if it constitutes the sole holding of its owner. Under the subsections as originally enacted the minimum tax was made payable by every person whose total tax was less than the minimum. As amended it is made payable on any lot or parcel of land the tax upon which is less than the minimum. This transferring of the tax from the person to the lot, if I may so speak of it, prevents a ratepayer from escaping it by building his entire taxation in the Municipality zone and thus affords to my mind some further proof of the intention of the Legislature that each lot covered by a man should for the purpose of these subsections be treated as a separate and distinct holding. Sections 45 and 46 make provision for land within the limits of the Municipality which have been subdivided into building lots or as a townsite and a plan of which has been registered in the Land Titles Office. The Legislature therefore had in mind in the forming of this Act the possibility of just such a thing as is found here. It is doing no violence to the language of the Act to say that the lot referred to, in these subsections can be a lot shown on such a registered plan for there is no other parcel of land within a Rural Municipality to which that term could be applied.

## Store News

The store are already beginning to feel the beneficial results of the new currency in circulation in payment for goods. Customers are buying more freely, and the banks are already putting new currency in circulation in payment for goods.

Fall weather specials are featured by Tomlin's this week. The weather is very changeable at this time of the year, and while full winter clothing is too much of a burden, yet something less sumptuous than the earlier wear is needed. Tommy line a very full line in fall wear and underwear for men, and also supplies for the men who are throwing the big cry.

Catchy and Fisher, in their big store in the King Edward Block, are also carrying a big line of men's wearables for cold weather, also a full range of fall apparel for the ladies. Their importations in millinery, etc., are the latest and most fashionable, and are pleasing the most fastidious. Business is humming in the grocery department.

Business at the Bow Valley Super Co., re-opened this summer, is increasing right along. It would seem as if the more stores opened the more people do their buying in Strathmore. There is no doubt that buyers will come to the towns where they can get the most variety, and



## Fine FLANNEL SHIRTS

for Dress Wear

**\$1.25 to \$3.00**

With and without

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Collars to match

Sizes 14 to 18½

## See our Special WORK SHIRTS

at 50c. to \$2.50

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For Men and Boys.

## MADE-TO MEASURE SUITS & OVERCOATS

Prices range from **\$18.00 to \$50.00**

None but the best makes Fit guaranteed.

Our Stock of

**CLOTHING**

for Men and Boys is now complete for Fall.

Mens' Suits of all grades Boys Suits priced from

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A fine selection of Mens' and Boys' **OVERCOATS**

for Fall and Winter wear All sizes in Mens' 35 to 48, Boys' from 24 to 34

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Mens' Tiger Brand Underwear in two piece and combinations

Two piece, extra fine **\$3.00 and \$3.50**

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Tru-knit **\$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$6.00**

Woolsey and Viking Underwear, **\$5.00 to \$7.50**

Stanfield's 'Red Label' **\$3.00**, 'Blue Label' **\$3.50**

A special All Wool heavy-weight two-piece underwear

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Boys all wool underwear, at **\$1.00** per Suit

Combinations **\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50**. All Sizes

All kinds of Fleece-lined Underwear in Mens' and Boys



## NIGHT-ROBES, PAJAMAS, ETC.

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**HOSIERY**

**25c, 35c, 50c, and 65c**, per pair.

## Invictus Model and 'Just Wright' Shoes

Felt Overshoes and Moccasins, German Sox, Sheep

Coats, Sweater Coats. All lined up for Winter Wear.

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MEN'S WEAR AND MEN'S WEAR ONLY.

Clothes Cleaned

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# CUT IT OUT!

AND SEND IT TO US WITH \$1.50, AND YOU GET THE

**FARMERS' WEEKLY TELEGRAM** AND THE **STRATHMORE STANDARD** **\$1.50**

From this date to December 31st, 1916

Or Strathmore Standard and Winnipeg Daily Telegram \$2.50

Readers of this district will be pleased to learn that we have succeeded in arranging a clubbing offer with the Farmers' Weekly Telegram and that the small sum of **\$1.50** will pay a subscription to both the Strathmore Standard and the Farmers' Weekly Telegram to the end of 1916.

The Farmers' Weekly Telegram is essentially a family newspaper with features of interest to every member of the home. "The Farm and its Interests," "Sunday at Home," "The Poet's Corner," "Woman's Domain," "Little Men and Women," short and serial stories, are only a few of the many features that have made the Farmers' Weekly Telegram the most popular weekly newspaper published west of the Great Lakes.

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THE STRATHMORE STANDARD, STRATHMORE, ALBERTA.

Enclosed please find **\$1.50**. Please mail to my address from now until December 31st, 1916. The Farmers' Weekly Telegram and the Strathmore Standard.

Name

P.O.

Province

At last night's Town Council meeting a letter was read from Mr. F. H. Tucker protesting against the cow being loosed.







